

### Shire President's Message



The recent Djuki Mala event hosted by the Shire was a great success, as were other recent events co-hosted by the Shire such as the #So\_My\_Fest annual youth festival, and the Taste of our Community Expo which coincided with Mental Health Week. Well done to the organisers who put so much time and effort into brining these events to our community.

### **Grower and Worker Connection**

We recently collaborated with the Manjimup CRC Southern Forest Employment Hub to facilitate the creation of a simplified linkage between local growers and workers looking to assist with making up the expected agricultural employment shortfall across the district. Growers and prospective workers encouraged to register their interest at the Manjimup Community Resource Centre.

### **Fire Season**

The fire season is approaching and residents should be aware that preparing for fire season isn't just for rural landholders. While rural landholders do have more responsibility with the need to provide firebreaks and fuel hazard reduction, it is just as important that residential and business properties are also ready for fire season. The 2020/2021 Firebreak and Fuel Hazard Reduction Notice has been mailed to all landholders and outlines the requirements for all land categories, a copy can be downloaded from the Shire website. The requirements outlined in the notice need to be in place by 11 December in Zone 8 and 18 December in Zone 6, the penalty for non-compliance is significant at \$5000. It's also a good time to review your fire plan and check the supplies and batteries in your emergency kit and remember not rely on NBN communication or scheme water during a bushfire.

### **New Health Local Laws**

A new Shire of Manjimup Health Local Law was gazetted on 8 October 2020. The purpose of the

local law is to enable authorised Shire officers to provide for the adequate regulation of public health throughout the Shire. The law includes regulation of food and accommodation premises, caravan parks, noise and nuisances, pests and diseases, onsite waste water disposal, events, public buildings, and more, you can view the local law on the Shire website.

### **COVID Relief Fund**

Whilst the Shire is no longer facilitating the fund, there are still funds available, if you find yourself or someone you know in need of support please see the Community Support Directory included with this issue of the Pemberton Community News for information. The relief fund has been made possible through the support of Lotterywest and the hard work of the Shire's COVID Recovery Team, the Shire of Manjimup has attained \$428,364 to assist people living in the Shire to alleviate any hardship that is being felt due to COVID-19.

Until next time stay well and safe....Paul



See the Community Support Directory included with this paper



## **Rates Information**

How to Pay

billpay

Billpay Code - 2631
Reference number
on your notice

PO Box 1

ijimup WA 6258

**I**PAY

**Due Dates** 

If you haven't received your rate notice please contact the Shire 9771 7777

2nd Instalment due 7 December 2020

> 3rd Instalment 8 February 2021

Final Instalment

12 April 2021

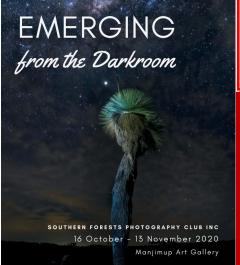
ou can pay weekly, fortnightly or monthly via

ou can pay by Centrepay deductions (contact

can pay by special arrangement or pay (contact the Rates Officer).

Severe Financial Hardship

If you are unable to pay due to severe financial hardship, please contact the Rates Officer to discuss your options.





Pemberton Library - Thursday 10am

Zone 8 - Manjimup, Pemberton, Quinninup 9 November 2020 - 21 December 2020

# Restricted Burn Period Permit to burn required









# Shire Bulletins can be viewed on the Shire website: www.manjimup.wa.gov.au/shirebulletin



West Ward Councillors Cr Murray Ventris (08) 9776 1757

Cr Kenneth Lawrence (08) 9776 2010

### **Pemberton Waste Transfer Station**

Lot 13760 Pemberton Northcliffe Rd, Yeagarup Wednesday: 11am - 5pm

Saturday/Sunday: 12pm - 5pm

### **Pemberton Library**

Lot 242 Brockman Street - 9776 1311 Wednesday and Thursday: 9am - 1.30pm

Friday 9.30am to 5pm Saturday 9am - 12pm

### **2020 Ordinary Council Meetings**

Meetings are held in the Council Chamber, off Brockman Street, Manjimup Copies of the agenda are available via the Shire website Tuesday before the meeting.

The Shire of Manjimup recommends attendance from members of the public only if they have essential matters to discuss due to COVID-19 restrictions.

5 November 26 November 17 December Shire President - Paul Omodei

# **Administration Centre**

8.15am-4.30pm Monday-Friday Tel: (08) 9771 7777 Fax: (08) 9771 7771 37-39 Rose Street, Manjimup

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